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**Transmittal of Utility Patent Application**  
**for Filing Under 37 CFR §1.53(b)**

**Mail Stop Patent Application**  
**Commissioner for Patents**  
**P.O. Box 1450**  
**Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing is a patent application by inventor: Andreas S. Krebs, and entitled:

**FRAMEWORK FOR MANAGING VISIBILITY OF GUI COMPONENTS**

1. Enclosed are:

- ☒ This Transmittal letter
- ☒ Two stamped, self-addressed postcards for PTO datestamp
- ☒ Certificate of Express Mail
- ☒ One utility patent application containing: 18 pages Specification; 15 pages Claims; 1 page Abstract; and
  - ☒ 10 Sheets of drawings; Figs 1 through 10
- ☒ Inventorship Declaration by Sole Inventor (signed) (2 pgs.)
- ☒ Assignment for recordation (2 pgs.)
- ☒ Recordation Form Cover Sheet Patent Only (1 pg.)
- ☒ Power of Attorney by Assignee (2 pgs.)
- ☒ Check for fees described below

2. U.S. Priority

- ☐ This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. «SerialNo» filed «FileDate», which is incorporated herein in its entirety by reference.
- ☐ Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: An Extension of Time is requested to provide for timely filing *if* required to establish copendency with the parent after all papers filed herewith have been considered.

3. Foreign Priority

- ☐ Priority of Application No. \_\_\_\_\_ filed in Japan on \_\_\_\_\_ is claimed under 35 USC §119. ☐ A certified copy of this priority document is enclosed.
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4. Fees


The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

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Total Claims	35 - 20	15	X \$ 9 =	\$	Or	X \$ 18 =	\$270.00
Independent Claims	5 - 3	2	X \$43 =	\$	Or	X \$ 86 =	\$172.00
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- ☒ Check no. 2240 in the combined amount of **\$1,252.00** is enclosed to cover the Filing Fees, and the recordation of assignment fees.
- ☒ The Perkins Coie LLP Customer Number is: **22918**
- ☒ For the prosecution of this application, the Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR §1.16 and §1.17 which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2207.

Respectfully submitted,  
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